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Mrs. Marburg:

Transmitted herewith are the brief background papers on lead and zinc which we discussed earlier this week. Although we attempted to keep the classification of the papers at as low a level possible, the inclusion of the comment in the lead paper regarding the agreement with Bolivia forced us to use the SECRET classification. If you have a reference to this agreement from some unclassified source, then the paper could be downgraded to CONFIDENTIAL.